*Cause and Effect pg. 286*

A cause in an action or event that makes something else happen. An effect is what happens as a result of that action or event.

*Compare and Contrast pg. 6*

When you compare, you tell how two or more things are alike, or similar. When you contrast, you tell how they are different.

*Draw Conclusions pg. 382*

A conclusion is a broad statement about an idea or event. It is reached by using what you learn from reading, along with what you already know.

*Generalize p. 470*

When you generalize, you make a statement that shows how different facts in a passage are related.

*Main Idea and Detail p. 110*

The main idea is the most important idea of a paragraph or passage. Details give more information about the main idea.

*Summarize pg. 190*

When you summarize, you state in your own words a shortened version of what you read.

*Sequencing*

Sequencing is when you place events in order starting with when they take place. Look for signal words like first, next, last, before, after and finally to help you figure out the sequence.

*Problem- Solution*

C:\Documents and Settings\Evelyn Johnston\Local Settings\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\67TXHWRY\MC900150097[1].wmfWhen a problem, or issue, occurs, one must try to resolve it by coming up with a solution.